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Notifications by the Government of India.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

NOTIFICATION.

POLITICAL.

Simla, the 14th May 1880.

No. 468 *I.-P.—Addendum.*—In Foreign Department Notification No. 28 I.-P., dated 7th January 1880, after the words "spears of all kinds," add the following :—

IIA.—The Governor General in Council is pleased to extend to the Territories of Mysore the prohibitions and directions regarding military stores, as follows :—To sulphur in quantities above ten seers, all sections of the Act.

A. C. LYALL,
Secy. to the Govt. of India.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

NOTIFICATION.

Simla, the 8th May 1880.

No. 444.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 8 of "The Indian Stamp Act, 1879," the Governor General in Council has remitted the duty payable under the said Act on all Instruments in the nature of a Memorandum or Agreement furnished to, or made or entered into with, Executive Commissariat Officers by contractors ; and also on all Declarations or Agreements by which a tender made to an Executive Commissariat Officer is accepted as a contract, when the deposit of such contractor as security for his contract is made in Government of India Loan Notes, or in Cash.

This Notification will have effect from the first day of April 1879, and will extend to the whole of British India.

No. 479.—In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 9 of "The Indian Stamp Act, 1879," the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct the use of adhesive stamps for bills of exchange payable otherwise than on demand, and drawn in sets, when the amount of stamp duty does not exceed one anna.

ACCOUNTS AND FINANCE.

No. 461.

Simla, the 14th May 1880.

In consequence of the increased cost of the war in Afghanistan as now estimated, the Governor General in Council has determined to borrow 313 Lakhs of Rupees, being the amount required for the construction of Productive Public Works in 1880—81.

The following Notification is, therefore, published—

FOUR-AND-A-HALF PER CENT LOAN, 1880.

His Excellency the Right Hon'ble the Governor General in Council has resolved to borrow Three Crores and Thirteen Lakhs of Rupees for the public service in the following manner.

2. Promissory Notes will be issued for the said amount in the form annexed to this Notification, being the form of the notes of *The Transfer Loan*, 1879, of which Loan the notes to be now issued will form a part. All the conditions which apply to notes of the first form of *The Transfer Loan*, 1879, will apply to the notes to be now issued.

3. Tenders for the whole or any part of the said amount of Three Crores and Thirteen Lakhs of Rupees will be received by the Comptroller General from this date to noon of Monday, the 14th of June 1880.